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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Charles L. Armstrong

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PLANTS

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I. AMENDMENT; AND II. RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MAY 4, 2006

MS: Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Commissioner:

Applicants submit this paper in response to the Office Action dated May 4, 2006 (the "Action"), for which the date for response is November 4, 2006 in view of 37 C.F.R. § 1.7 and the enclosed request for a three month extension of time and fees. It is believed that no additional fee is due; however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P. Account No.: 50-1212/MONS:134US.

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